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A corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested for the above-identified application.

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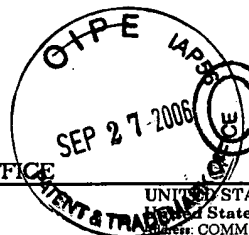
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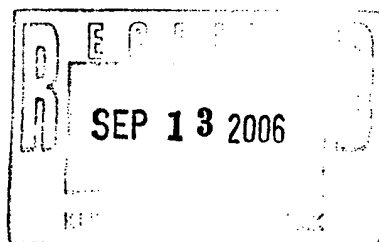


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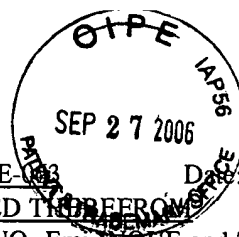
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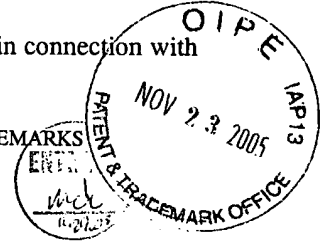
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In the Notice of Acceptance of Application, the date of satisfying 35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(1), (2) and (4) requirements is incorrectly identified as "11/23/2004". The date of satisfying 35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(1), (2) and (4) requirements should be correctly identified as --11/23/2005--.

For the convenience of the Office, a copy of the Notice of Acceptance of Application is attached hereto with the error marked

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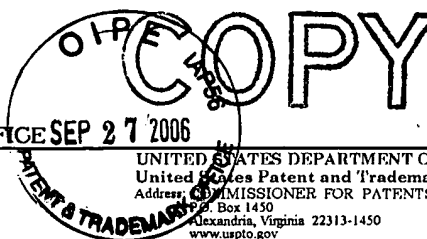
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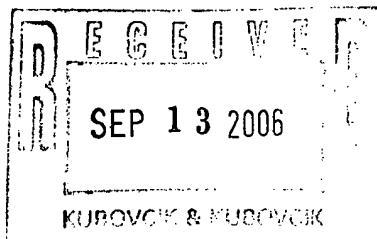




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The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

<del>11/23/2004</del> 11/23/2005	11/23/2005
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A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE " FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

- Copy of the International Application filed on 11/23/2004
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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 11/23/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 11/23/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/01/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 11/23/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 11/23/2004
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